

Revised: September 11, 2014

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
FOURTH MEETING
of the
JOBS COUNCIL**

**September 15, 2014
Gadsden Administrative Complex
4950 McNutt Road
Santa Teresa**

Monday, September 15

- 10:00 a.m. **Call to Order**
—Representative W. Ken Martinez, Speaker of the House, Co-Chair
—Senator Mary Kay Papen, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Co-Chair
- 10:05 a.m. **Welcome from Gadsden Independent School District (GISD)**
—Efren Yturalde, Superintendent, GISD
- 10:20 a.m. (1) **Health and Education Sectors — Job-Creation Initiatives**
—George Mychaskiw, Chief Academic Officer and Dean, Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine
—Benjamin Woods, Special Assistant to the President, New Mexico State University (NMSU)
- 11:20 a.m. (2) **Work Force Development Initiatives**
—Kari Mitchell, Chief Executive Officer, Las Cruces Machine, Manufacturing & Engineering, Inc.
—Bryn Davis, New Mexico Operations Manager, Sapphire Energy Inc.
- 12:00 noon (3) **Working Lunch — Update on Council-Approved Legislative Initiatives**
—Mark Lautman, Lead Program Consultant, Lautman Economic Architecture
- 12:45 p.m. (4) **Improving Operational and Performance Metrics for Job-Creation Initiatives**
—Mark Lautman, Lead Program Consultant, Lautman Economic Architecture
- 1:45 p.m. (5) **Job Creation in the Border Region**
—Jerry Pacheco, Executive Director, International Business Accelerator

- 2:30 p.m. (6) **Job Creation in the South Central Region**
—Kevin Boberg, Associate Dean/Director for Research and Economic
Development, NMSU College of Business
—Davin Lopez, President and Chief Executive Officer, Mesilla Valley
Economic Development Alliance
- 3:30 p.m. (7) **Investment in Technology Research Gap Funding**
—Senator Michael Padilla
—Kevin Boberg, Associate Dean/Director for Research and Economic
Development, NMSU College of Business
- 4:00 p.m. (8) **Update on Development of the Online Jobs-Data Repository**
—Charles Lehman, Director, Employment and Economic Information
Center of New Mexico
- 4:30 p.m. **Public Comment**
- 5:00 p.m. **Adjourn**